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AMENDING THE JOINT RESOLUTION OF MARCH 25, 1953, TO EXPAND THE TYPES OF EQUIPMENT FURNISHED MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 28 (legislative day, JULY 27), 1965.—Ordered to be printed

Mr. JORDAN of North Carolina, from the Committee on Rules and Administration, submitted the following

REPORT

[To accompany H.J. Res. 481]

The Committee on Rules and Administration, to which was referred the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 481) to amend the joint resolution of March 25, 1953, to expand the types of equipment furnished Members of the House of Representatives, having considered the same, reports favorably thereon without amendment and recommends that the joint resolution do pass.

House Joint Resolution 481 would add automatic letter opener machines and automatic letter sealer machines to the types of mechanical and electrical office equipment which pursuant to the joint resolution of March 25, 1953, as amended (2 U.S.C. 112(a)), are presently available for use by Members of the House of Representatives. The present list of authorized equipment is as follows: (1) addressing machines, (2) automatic typewriters, (3) electric typewriters, (4) recording machines for dictating and transcribing, and (5) duplicating machines.

CHANGES IN EXISTING LAW

In accordance with subsection (4) of rule XXIX of the Standing Rules of the Senate, changes in existing law made by House Joint Resolution 481, as reported, are shown as follows (existing law proposed to be omitted is enclosed in black brackets, new matter is printed in *italic*, existing law in which no change is proposed is shown in roman):

SUBSECTION (C) OF THE FIRST SECTION OF THE JOINT RESOLUTION
APPROVED MARCH 25, 1953 (2 U.S.C. 112a)

(c) The electrical or mechanical office equipment which may be furnished under this joint resolution for use in the office of a Member shall be limited to the following general types of equipment:

- (1) addressing machines;
- (2) automatic typewriters;
- (3) electric typewriters;
- (4) recording machines for dictating and transcribing; **[and]**
- (5) duplicating machines **[.];**
- (6) *automatic letter opener machines; and*
- (7) *automatic letter sealer machines.*

